

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Department of Telecommunications and Energy  
Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company  
Docket No. D.T.E. 02-24/25  
Responses to the Attorney General's Seventh Set of Information Requests**

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**Request No. AG-7-15 (Electric)**

Please provide all of the workpapers, calculations, formulas, questionnaires, responses and other supporting documentation associated with the "survey of hourly wages" referred to on page38, lines 6-7.

**Response:**

Please see Attachment AG-7-15 (Electric).

**Person Responsible:** Mark H. Collin

<b>1999 Hourly Wages</b>	<b>FG&amp;E</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>FG&amp;E/Avg</b>
<u>Transportation</u>			
Fleet Mechanic 1st	21.60	21.57	100.1%
Fleet Mechanic 2nd	19.90	19.17	103.8%
<u>Plant Records</u>			
Plant Records Clerk	15.67	16.64	94.2%
<u>Appliance Service</u>			
Gas Service Worker - 1st Class	21.24	22.91	92.7%
Gas Service Worker - 2nd Class	18.38	20.64	89.0%
Gas Service Worker - 3rd Class	16.71	19.01	87.9%
Emergency Night Trouble Worker	18.38		
<u>Meter (Gas)</u>			
Gas Fitter-Meter Mechanic	20.07		
<u>Meter (Gas and Electric)</u>			
Gas/Electric Tester/Installer - 1st Class	21.47	23.42	91.7%
Gas/Electric Tester/Installer - 2nd Class	20.36	21.25	95.8%
Gas/Electric Tester/Installer - 3rd Class	18.13	19.43	93.3%
Gas/Electric Tester/Installer - Helper	17.52	17.74	98.8%
Meter Helper	16.40		
<u>Street/Gas Distribution</u>			
Utility Worker A Leader	22.41	22.39	100.1%
Utility Worker A	20.64	22.12	93.3%
Utility Worker B	18.53	20.30	91.3%
Utility Worker C	17.36	18.68	92.9%
Streetworker	16.19	16.62	97.4%
Utility Worker A Leader/Regulator	22.41	22.39	100.1%
Utility Worker A Regulator	20.64	21.23	97.2%
Utility Worker B Regulator	18.53	19.38	95.6%
Utility Worker C Regulator	17.36	18.41	94.3%
Streetworker/Regulator	16.19	16.62	97.4%
Certified Gas Welder 1st Class	22.51		
<u>Electric Distribution</u>			
Head Lineworker	25.86	25.38	101.9%
Emergency Night Trouble Worker	24.18	26.23	92.2%
Lineworker 1st Class	23.27	23.39	99.5%
Lineworker 2nd Class	19.00	19.83	95.8%
Lineworker 3rd Class	18.06	18.01	100.3%
Apprentice Lineworker	17.16	17.21	99.7%
Head Cable Splicer	25.94	25.83	100.4%
Cable Splicer 1st Class	23.50	23.33	100.7%
Cable Splicer 2nd Class	20.95	20.10	104.2%
Cable Splicer 3rd Class	18.91	18.42	102.7%
Cable Splicer's Helper	17.88	16.97	105.4%
<u>Meter Readers</u>			
Meter Reader	17.95	18.00	99.7%
Meter Reader II		15.95	
<u>Operations Support</u>			
Consumer Aide	15.67		
<u>Stores</u>			
Stock Clerk	18.78	19.40	96.8%
Stock Person	18.15	16.03	113.3%
<u>Janitorial</u>			
Janitor	15.00	15.30	98.0%

<b>Electrical</b>			
Electrician 1st Class and Relay Tester	22.51		
Electrician 1st Class	21.71	22.70	95.6%
Electrician 2nd Class	19.50	20.44	95.4%
Electrician 3rd Class	17.88	18.50	96.7%
<b>Gas Production</b>			
Utility Worker 1	19.38	20.85	92.9%
Utility Worker 2	18.84	19.81	95.1%
Utility Worker 3	18.31	17.23	106.3%
<b>Dig Safe</b>			
Dig Safe Technician	18.39	17.58	104.6%
<b>Customer Service</b>			
Customer Service Representative	15.67	15.85	98.9%
<b>Radio Operators</b>			
Radio Operator II	15.67		
Radio Operator I	16.15		
Lead Meter Mechanic	21.47	23.56	91.1%
Meter Mechanic Class I	20.36	21.64	94.1%
Meter Mechanic Class II	18.13	19.30	93.9%
Meter Mechanic Class III	17.52	17.51	100.1%
Meter Mechanic Apprentice		16.16	
Meter Worker		19.48	
Meter Worker II		16.75	
Companies Contracts in this Database Include:			
<b>NH Electric Co-op</b>			
<b>Connecticut Light &amp; Power</b>			
<b>Valley Gas</b>			
<b>Eastern Utilities (Fall River)</b>			
<b>Newport Electric (EUA)</b>			
<b>PSNH</b>			
<b>Fall River Gas</b>			
<b>Niagara Mohawk</b>			
<b>Connecticut Natural Gas</b>			
<b>Energy North Natural Gas- clerical</b>			
<b>Energy North Natural Gas - non-clerical</b>			
<b>Cambridge Electric (Com. Electric)</b>			
<b>NEES</b>			
<b>CMP</b>			
<b>Yankee Gas</b>			
<b>United Illuminating</b>			
<b>Berkshire Gas</b>			
<b>Boston Edison</b>			
<b>Colonial Gas</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Electric - New Bedford</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Electric-Cape and Vineyard</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Electric-Plymouth</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Gas - steel workers</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Gas - New Bedford</b>			
<b>Boston Gas</b>			
<b>Bangor Hydro-Electric</b>			
<b>Bangor Hydro-Electric (Customer Service Center)</b>			
<b>Providence Gas Company</b>			